## ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.--SEPTEMBER 10, 1859.

to Japan. It is to be composed of three ships of war, and is to sail in October. At its head will be placed a diplomatist, with instructions and full powers to negotiate and conclude treaties of commerce and friendship with China and Japan. A novel feature connected with the expedition is the proposal to make use of the opportunity to obtain possession of some islander group of islands in the Pacific Ocean, either by troaty or purchase, on which to found a real German colony, under the protection of the Prussian flag and Prussian

in a letter to the Cincinnati papers says, that the vine growers in Ohio may now feel certain of a large crop of grapes; probably as large a yield as for the last three years.— One reliable vintner, who a few years since this fall to make 1,200 gallons. The crop-being large, the demand for wine will not be equal to the supply, and the vineyard men should use great care to insure wine of men should design it will not sell at half the price of fine quality.

COMMUNICATED.

ion, from Morris & Willis' Home Journal: "Hoops, we are glad to perceive, will concircumference. No fashion which has lately prevsiled has been attended with such mportant results to woman--improving both her health and appearance-as the wearing of hoops. Ladies have now become so accustomed to them and they are so necessary to the handsome display of their dresses, that their dismissal would scarcely be tolerated. It is a noticeable feature, one which that American ladies-whether at home on of English beauties on Regent street, or mingling with Parisian belles fluttering on the Boulevards are readily recognizable by their superior air of elegance. Much of this may be attributable to the natural gifts of beauty of face and form which they pos-sess, but still their costume has considerable to do with it."

to Miss MILDRED A., second daughter of James Shifflet, of Madison county. On the 6th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Duncan, Dr. JAMES H. TURNER, to Miss ANNETTE TYLER, of Front Royal, Va.

On the 6th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Hughes, Col. M. T. WHEATLEY, to Miss ELIZABETH, daughter of the late Charles U. Lovell, esq., of

bride's father, on the 30th ultimo, by the Rev. William G. Lumpkin, Mr. DAVID T. KERFOOT, of Missouri, and Miss ANN M. EARLE, of Warren county, Va.

At the residence of Mr. John Walter, on the 1st instant, by the same, Mr. MOSES NELSON, of Frederick, and Miss ELIZABETH HAINES, of Warren county, Va.

Wm. D. Thomas, at the residence of James Lewis, esq., Mr. EDWARD H. CONWAY, of Stafford, to Miss SALLIE J. STROTHER, of Fauquier.

the Key. J. A. Buck, Lieut. ROBERT SELDEN. U. S. Navy, to AUGUSTA N., daughter of the late Major Guorge W. Walker, U. S. Marine Corps. On the 31st ult., by Elder M. Montgomery, Mr. ROBERT W. CARTER, of Richmet ty, to Miss FRANCES E. OWENS, of Freder-

## DIED

In Lynchburg, on Saturday morning, September 3d, MAGGIE CARTER, daughter of Rev. George W. Carter, aged two years.

Dr. Hugh Morson, on the 22d August, Mrs. SAL-LIE S. LIGHTFOOT, wife of Philip Lightfoot, of Port Royal, in the 70th year of her age. At her residence, Flower Hill, Montgomery

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Borden Mining Co. Schr. Volant, Allen, Mattawoman, wheat to

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Schrs. Island City. Conklin, and Menry French,

Schr. Minerva, Brooks, for this port, sailed from Providence 6th inst. Schr. Paniel Brown, Heald, from Fall River,

for this port, sailed from Dutch Island Harbor 5th Schr. Courier, Todd, for this port, cleared at

### the many CANAL COMMERCE.

ARRIVED, September 9.

Boat E. Reinhard, to T. J. Mehaffey. Boat Six Brothers, limestone to Thomas Smith. OFFICE TO RENT .- My continued ill health.

constrains me to remove my Law Books to my dwelling, on the corner of Duke and St. Asaph streets, and I offer for rent, my present office, on Washington street, considered among the very best in the city. CHR. NEALE.

TEETH BRUSHES.—A good assortment of English, French and American Teeth Brushes, just received and for sale by
J. R. PIERPOINT,

172 S. E corner of King and Washington-sts.

stadt, Early York, Large York, Early French chard, Early Dutch, Large Drumhead, Large [sep 10] H. COOK & CO. EASTERN FISH. -50 bbls. prime Edwards Island Alewives, 50 bbls. do. Herring, just re-\$3.624. A few extra heavy Cattle sold at price

Monetary. In monetary affairs, there is very little of interest to note since our last report. There is not apparently as much pressure on the market, but the discount, and on the street there is no reduction in rates. The remittances from the country are small, but the improvement in prices, will, it is thought, induce farmers to send forward their

Wheat, and thus discharge their indebtedness, a principal cause of the stringency in our money market. In Exchange, there is very little doing, and prices are unchanged, viz: 102 ton New York. Stocks are quiet, and the transactions limited. We have no change to notice in quotations. Railroad securities are steady at last week's prices. Gold and silver are in fair supply at ? ? et. premium on the former; no premium on silver .-The money market in New York continues easy. The Richmond Examiner says, that money is made 1,000 gallons from an acre, expects easier than it was a week or two ago. The Banks are still rather stringent and discount sparingly. Land Warrants are depressed, and may be quoted at 80 ets. for 160 acres; 80c. for 80's; 72c. for 120's, and 90c. for 40's.

Richmond Stock Market, September 9. Virginia Sixes, 94)4 and interest.
Richmond City Bonds, last sales \$95 and interest.
Virginia Bank Stock, sales \$72\cdot4.
Farmers' Bank Stock, 104\cdot4.
Farmers' Bank Stock, last sales \$105.
Bank of the Commonwealth Stock, sales 100\cdot4.
Richmond, Fredericksburg, and Potomac Raifroad Stock, sat sales \$70.

last sales \$70.
Virginia Central Railread Stock, \$50.
Richmond and Danville Railread guaranteed bonds, sale

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Virginia and Tennesses Railroad Bonds, 1st mortgage, ast sales \$82 and int. De. 2nd mortgage, last sales \$83 and int. Do., 3rd mortgage, last sales \$79.5 and int.

Orange and Alexandria 8 at cut Bonds \$78.

Manassas Gap Railroad bonds, 63 and interest.

Norfolk City \$77.1/2 and int. \$96 and int.

The Whig says :- "Virginia sixes have taken the upward turn, sales having been made this week at 942—an advance of 12. Messrs. J. A. Laneas ter & Son report sales of Richmond City bonds at 95 and int.; Exchange Bank stock at 105; R. & P. R. R. at 63; R. & D. R. R. at 65; and S. S. R. R. bonds, due in 1862, at 80. Farmers' Bank stock is wanted, and 105 is now offered for it."

PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA. ROM CARS, VESSELS, AND WAGONS, (YESTERDAY FLOUR, Super.....\$5 00 (a \$0 00 ..... 5 50 (4) Do Family ..... ...... 1 25 (a) WHEAT, White ...... Do 0 75 (a) 0 75 (a) 0 80 (c) ushel. 0 80 (a) CORN, White ... Do Mixed ...... Do Yellow..... . 0 37½ (0 . 0 73 (d) OATS ..... 0 00 (a) 2 00 (a) 1 25 (a) CLOVER SEED, (retail)...... 0 00 2 124 TIMOTHY SEED..... Sunac, & hundred .. ...... 1 25 (a)

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REMARKS .- During the week the market has

been active, the receipts of produce have increased,

and prices have generally been well sustained.

The demand for Flour has been fair, while the

stocks on hand are moderate. Early in the week

quotations remained unaltered, but yesterday the

narket gave way, and prices declined, Union

street Super being offered frooly at \$5. Owing to

the light supply of Extra and the demand, there

has been no decline in that description, and we

continue to quote \$5.50 (a \$5.75. Family is very

quiet at a decline, and we now quote \$6.374 @ \$7.

according to brand. There has been considerable

activity in the Wheat market, and prices have

been kept up, the market yesterday closing firm,

prime white brought 131c., and some lots prime

red at 119c. Our quotations are not for choice,

and are given from actual sales. Choice white or

red Wheat, for which extreme rates are quoted in

other markets, would command figures as high

here, but for equal qualities our market is now up

to, and above those of the neighboring cities .-

Corn is in fair enquiry, but the receipts have been

comparatively light. Last sales of white at 80c.

Rye active at 75c. for prime, and wanted-receipts

firm. The supply of Oats is moderate, and the

demand fair. Quotations have undergone no

change this week, the sales having been principal-

ly at 371c., struck measure for bright. Corn

Meal is quiet, with a good supply. Seeds are

quiet-Timothy is in abundant supply, and the

market quiet at \$2(6,\$2.25, according to quality.

Sumac continues to come in freely, and is in ac-

tive demand. Wool is very quiet, and the market

dull, at previous quotations. Provisions are stea-

dy. Bacon is in limited supply, with an active

enquiry, and prices have advanced. The supply

of Butter has fallen off, and prices gone up. We

quote 20(425c. for best roll and print. Eggs less

plentiful, and sales at 121(a 14c. 7) dozen. Lard

is active. Our Grocery merchants are now in re-

ceipt of their Fall supplies, which are very large

this Fall, and we trust their most sanguine hopes

may be realized. The market for sweets rules

quiet, and prices are hardly as firm. We quote

Brown Sugars at 61 @Sc.; refined do. 9@ 10%c.

Molasses 27 (a 40c. Coffees very firm at from 10?

to 12fe, for Rio. Other articles unchanged. Fer-

tilizers are moving off briskly, the sales continu-

ing heavy, and as yet we notice no abatement in

the demand. Alexandria has become the centre

of a very extensive trade in Fertilizers, the in-

ducements offered to farmers having led many

who make other places their market, to pur-

chase here. The supplies held here have been

very large, and are yet sufficient to meet all wants.

Freights are active, and vessels wanted. All ar-

riving are readily taken up. We append the

\$1.80 Norwich.

1.95 Pawtucket.

1.80 Hartford.

1.65 Albany,

1.60(a.1.65 New York,

Coal Trade.

For the week ending Saturday, Sept. 3rd, 6,650.

03 tons of coal were shipped over the Cumberland

and Pennsylvania Rilroad, and 2,776.16 over the

road of the George's Creek Coal and Iron Com-

pany. Making a total for the week from the en

Total shipments for the year from the entire re

80 boats cleared this port during the week end-

During the seasons 1945 boats cleared this port,

parrying 201,457.13 tons of Coal .- Cumberland Ci-

Baltimore Cattle Market, September 7.

Beef Cattle.-The offerings at the Scales to-day

300 head were left over unsold, and the remainder

a fraction higher, but the market closed very dull.

ing Wednesday, the 7th inst, carrying 8,908.12

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Dorby

1.65 Troy, 1.60 Philadelphia,

Bridgeport,

Per Ton. | To

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PLASTER, Lump, retail, delivered

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PORK......LARD, in Kegs.....

Firkin.

GUANO .

SALT, Fine ...

Lead; Linseed Oil; Burnt Umber; Litharge; Ground Ciunamon; Flour of Sulphur; Cuttlefish bone; Cloves; Gum Shellae; Chloroform; Cod Liver Oil on draught-just received and for sale by JAS. ENTWISLE, JR., Apothecary, 94 King-street.

DOTATOES, MERCERS .- 250 bushels best white Mercers, at the low price of 624c. per hel, to close. ISAAC PAUL, bushel, to close. sep 10

FOR BALTIMORE.—The steam-or DIAMOND STATE will receive cargo for Baltimore, on Saturday, (this day) leaving at 2 o'clock, P. M. WHEAT & BRO., Agents.

ALL WOOL CARPET only 40 cents a yard at [sep 10] S. & W. MEYENBERG'S. "HAND'S LINE."

ALEXANDRIA, VA., WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, D. C., AND PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. ZET ONLY REGULAR LINE! "SA

and Alexandria at 6 o'clock, P. M., every Tuesday, with sales of fair to good red at 115@117c., and delivering eargo in Philadelphia early on Thursday, a lot of day morning and connects with the regular lines steamers to and from New York and Boston, (through receipts given.) Goods for the interior forwarded immediately on arrival of the steamer free of commission.

> cheapest and quickest route, will ship by this line. All goods sent to the agents in New York or Bosshould be marked-CARE "HAND'S LINE." The Jerome insures at the very lowest rates. freight, which will be taken at greatly reduced rates, apply to STEPHEN SHINN, 61 South Union street

AGENTS .- THOMAS WEBSTER, Jr., 14 North Wharves, Pkiladelphia: BRIGGS & KIRK-PATRICK, 23 South-street, N. York: SPRAGUE, SOULE & CO., T Wharf, Boston: HYDE & DA-VIDSON, 57 Water-street, Georgetown.

lege desires to obtain a situation as private tua family. With respect to his character, scholarship, and experience, he has permission to

Co., Alexandria. James Walker, D. D., President of Harvard

niversity, Cambridge, Mass.
The Professors of Harvard College. Rev. Amos Smith, Belmont, Mass.

esq., Union Wharf, Alexandria. aug 30-1m DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

and full. The stocks held by our leading houses are larger than usual—they look for a heavy trade tween II. A. HALL and JOHN W. HARPER, at Upperville, Va., was, on the first day of August last, by mutual consent, dissolved. Either party is authorized to use the name of the firm in settling the business.

ly requested to come forward and settle their accounts, &c. The business will be continued in the name of HALL, HARPER & CO. We take this opportunity to return our thanks to our customers, and the public generally, for the liberal patronage heretofore extended, and solicit

Upperville, Va., sep 8-2aw3w

STANMORE SCHOOL. Sandy Spring, Montgomery County, Md. Month (October.)

ROBERT IL MILLER OF BENJAMIN HAL-LOWELL, Alexandria, Va., or to the subscriber at Sandy Spring P. O., Montgomery County, Md. 8th mo 29-eo2w FRANCIS MILLER.

ALEXANDRIA CENTRAL SCHOOL. THE EXERCISES OF THIS SCHOOL will be resumed Monday, September 5th. Persons wishing to see the subscriber on business relating to the School, may find him at his School Room, in the 2nd story of Brook Lodge, between the hours of 12 M., and 1 o'clock, P. M. in the 2nd story

THE subscriber having employed a teacher in his family, will take a few boys from 12 to 16 years of age, to be instructed with his sons.— Terms and particulars made known on application B. SHUMATE, Owl Run P. O., sep 8 -- eo51\* Fauquier county, Va. TOTICE.-Purchasers at C. A. Washington's

sale, in December, 1858, are notified that ir notes will become due on September 29th. 1859, and will be left at the Banking House of Burke & Herbert for collection. Interest will be required on every note that is not paid at maturity. aug 31-eot20th Sept C. A. WASHINGTON.

a first rate teacher, for my own boys, I we like to take as Boarders, eight or ten boys, upon moderate terms. Address White Post, Clarke county, Va. aug 18-eolm

COAL! COAL!! Sheep.—The supply has been fair this week, and sales at \$2.25@\$3.50 \$\pi\$ head, as to quality.

Hogs.—The supply is good, but the demand slow; prices are without material change; sales at \$1.25@\$3.50 \$\pi\$ head, as to quality.

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WE SHALL discharge in a few days another cargo of WHITE AND RED ASH COAL!

Persons wanting a good article will call and leave their orders. [sep 9] WHEAT & BRO. BY YESTERDAY EVENING'S MAILS.

BRARS.-There is said to be little or no must in the mountains this season. The consequence is, that bears are becoming exceedingly troublesome in the settlements. They have come down from their retreats in the mountains, and are playing sad havoe with orn-fields, cattle and sheep. Mr. Senger, living near Mole-Hill in this county, had several cattle killed by the animals, near the Richlands, a few days ago. Mr. John Miller, living near Hoover's Mill, on the South ork in Pendleton county, also had a number of sheep-about half his flock-killed in the same way a short time since. They are also destroying the cornfields within their range. The fields of Messrs. David Gladwell and Peachy Gordon, three or four miles from Rawley Springs, show marks of the teeth of the half-starved bears coming down into the settlements.—Rockingham Register.

FIRE IN CLARKE COUNTY .- It is with regret that we have heard of a destructive fire which occurred near White Post, Clarke county. Wednesday night of last week, on the farm of Jas. W. Walker, formerly known as the old Brownley estate, but at present tenanted by Samuel Heflebower. The dwelling, a commodious frame-house, stuccoed outside, was entirely destroyed, together with the smoke-house, and other out-buildings, causing a loss of about four thousand dollars to the proprietor. Mr. Heflebower estimates his own loss at something like six hundred dollars. The fire was the result of accident, in the use of a lamp by a colored woman, as she afterward stated Had it been the plot of an incendiary, a much greater loss might have been sustained as Mr. Hefiebower had a large stock of grain and provender in the barn .- Win, Rep.

Two of the convicts in the State Penitentiary attempted to escape on Wednesday. One of them has eighteen years to serve; the other not quite so long. It seems that at mid lay, the hour for dinner, these men, instead of attending dinner when summoned, stealthily crept up into an Observatory over the workshops, and crawled through a window. They then made their way into the outer yard having stolen a key which unlocked a door leading to this portion of the premises. Having quickly lashed two planks together with a rope, they placed them against the outer wall in the hope of thus reaching the top .-The oldest of the two had ascended to the top and was about placing his hand on the wall when the splice gave way, and he and the planks came to terra firma with a crash.

The N. S. Presbytery of Winchester, will old its next stated meeting in the Grove church, Fauquier county, on Friday evening the 16th inst. The N. S. Synod of Virginia meets in the town of Liberty, Bedford county, Wednesday the 21st inst., when statistical and missionary reports, with a contribution to the contingent fund, will be expected from

The Western Virginia Baptist Association convened at Fort Louis, Roanoke co., Va. on Friday, 2d inst., and organized by the election of Col. Colin Bass, of Roanoke, Moderator, and Col. Wm. C. Parks, of Marion, Clerk. The attendance of ministers and delegates was large. A revival had just closed at Mt. Zion, Prince George co., resulting in 75 conversions.

Mr. Richard Clay, of Amherst County, was a servant woman, who has lately given birth to two boys and a girl at one time .-The three are alive and doing remarkably well. This servant has given birth to eight The County Court of Frederick county, has

ordered an election to be held for Clerk of that Court, to supply the vancancy caused by the death of James P. Riely, on the 27th o

The first through shipment of Cotton that has ever passed over the Virginia & Tennessee Railroad, reached Lynchburg on Wednes

A likely mulatto girl, aged about 19, was sold at auction a few days ago, in Richmond, and brought \$1,750.

The Democratic Convention for the 4th Congressional District, will be held in the town of Farmville, on Wednesday, 21st inst.

At a special election on the 27th ult., William Lodge and John Glaize, esqs., were elec-

#### ted Magistrates of Frederick County. SELECT FAMILY SCHOOL.

H AVING secured the services of a competent instructress of several years experience in teaching and managing a School, for the education of his own children, the subscriber would receive ito his family a few girls as boarders, to whose education particular attention will be paid. The School will open on Monlay the third do

f October next, at the residence of the subscriber situated on the Rapid Ann river, 31 miles from Mitchell's Station, in a beautiful and healthy Section of the country.

TERMS:—For board, washing, fuel, lights, &c.

and tuition in all the English studies, per session of ten months. \$200, payable one half in advance Music and French at teachers' rates. Towels, Books, and Stationery to be furnished by the puil. No other extras. Early application addressed to the subscriber at

Mitchell's Station, Culpeper county, will receive attention.

J. J. HALSEY. Culpeper county, sep 1-colm

MAUQUIER LAND FOR SALE .- I desire to P make sale of FIFTEEN HUNDRED or TWO THOUSAND ACRES of LAND, lying on Carter's Run, in the county of Fauquier—and in order to suit purchasers, I will sell the same in small tracts, on long credits. Apply to J. A. MARSHALL, esq., Orlean P. O., Fauquier county, Va. ELIZA L. S. MARSHALL.

Fanquier county, aug 25-ee2m DUBLIC NOTICE.—Having obtained Letters of Administration on the estate of Aquila Emerson, dec'd., I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them. duly authenticated, and persons indebted to make THOMAS DAVY. immediate payment. dministrator de bonis non, with the will annexed on the estate of Aquila Emerson, dec'd.

NOTICE.—Having engaged a very accomplish-ed TEACHER in my family. I will take in two additional pupils. Boys from twelve to sixteen years of age will be preferred. The usua branches of an English and Classical education are taught. My residence is in the county of Fauquier, about four miles from Warrenton. The session will begin on the first day of October Warrenton, aug 22-eotf R. E. SCOTT.

WANTED.—A situation as TEACHER, by a young lady of Virginia, in a private family, to give instruction in the Elementary branches of the English Language. Satisfactory references will be given by address

ing T. J. Skinker, at Hartwood Post Office, Stafford County, Va., or to D. G. Meade, Alexandria, CARD. Doct. F. W. POWELL, would an-A CARD.—Doct. F. W. Louise and vi cinity, that he has this day associated Doct. WM

OTS FOR SALE.—I will sell, in one parcel, or in sub-divisions, to suit purchasers, the QUARTER SQUARE of GROUND, belonging to T. J. Carey, situated on the north side of Gibbon. and east side of Henry street, next south of the residence of Capt. Traverse. Terms accommodating. (sep 9-dif)

establishment of the new Steamship Line to New York, was celebrated in Washington. by a party of gentlemen, who were the guests of Thomas T. Everett, esq. A sumptuous table had been spread by the host, and, after its plenty and variety had been well explored, Mr. Everett opened in a few well conceived remarks explanatory of the reasons for which his friends had been invited to be present. After a number of pertinent and pleasant remarks, Mr. Everett proposed the success of the "New York and Virginia Screw Steamship Company," which was drank with enthusiasm, and brought forward George D. Fowle, esq., of Alexandria, who, after thanking the company for the manner in which the toast had been received, explained, in a clear and comprehensive manner, the objects for which the new line had been set on foot. The main object was, briefly, to furnish to the people of the District and the Potomac regions of Virginia and Maryland, a sure, regular, expeditious. safe, and cheap means of communication and trade with the great commercial metropolis of the Union and mercantile centre the western continent. Mr. Fowle further explained the plans and purposes of the Company, gave a description of the vessel they had built for the trade, and, expressed his hope and belief that the line would be a paying one and become permanent. He proposed the health of the captain and officers of the steamship Mount Vernon, which

Captain Smith returned thanks: and appropriate speeches were afterwards made by Mr. Thomas P. Morgan and Mr. H. Hardy.

A toast personal to Mr. Fowle having been warmly accepted by the company, that gentleman handsomely responded, and gave the history of the inception of the enterprise. About a year ago he had become so deeply convinced of the want of such a medium trade and intercourse between the hundred thousand people of the three neighboring cites that he could rest quiet no longer, but out himself on the road to New York, determined to see what could be done at that great emporium to supply the deficiency. He went to Mr. Cromwell, unfolded bi views, explained the circumstances of the District, its trade, its capacities, its wants; and when he had finished, what was Mr. Cromwell's reply? "Well, sir, it shall be done; the ships shall be built; we will go to work immediately." And as good as his word, said Mr. Fowle, here we are celebrating, in so short a time, the arrival of the Mount Vernon, the pioneer of the Cromwell line, which, however, had taken its name in part from Virginia, under the belief that a more favorable charter could be obtained from the Legislature of that State than from Congress. Mr. F. concluded amidst much applause. Other toasts were drank and responded to, complimentary to individuals at Lewis's Chapel, near Colchester, in more or less connected with the enterprise.

THE MOUNT VERNON AT NEW YORK .-- WE learn, by a telegraphic dispatch from New York, that the steamer Mount Vernon arrived at that city vesterday, after a passage passengers enjoyed it greatly.

THE CANAL .- Business on the Alexandria Canal is brisk. The arrivals of boats daily are numerous, mostly from Cumberland, with Coal, and at the outlet into the Potomae, at the upper end of the city, a scene of bustle and activity is presented, very enlivening. The officers of the Canal Compaof their duties and the prospects of this work, which is of such vital importance to this place, were never more flattering. The receipts are regularly increasing and Alexandria is fast becoming, as she should be, the principal depot of the Cumberland Coal Alexandria, is deprived of the services of one of

REV. D. P. WILLS, pastor of the M. E. can, (so well known in our midst,) will fill the vacancy created here, until the next ses-

REV. DR. SPARROW .- We learn that Rev. Dr. Sparrow has been elected unanimously to the rectorship of Emanuel Church, in Baltimore, to supply the place made vacant by the death of Rev. Dr. Johns. Dr. Sparrow ranks high among the ablest divines of the Episcopal church. It is believed he will accept the charge to which he has been chosen. Dr. S. is at present, one of the Professors of the Episcopal Theological Seminary near this place.

SOUTHDOWN RAM .- The Adams Express Company, had on freight yesterday, from the farm of Richard H. Dulany, esq., in Fauquier county, a Southdown Ram, raised by Mr. D. from his imported stock. This Ram has been sold to a gentleman on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, who is largely engaged in Sheep raising, and wishes to improve his stock. The stock raised by Mr. Dulany is eagerly sought for, because of its superiority, and commands high prices.

FRUIT .- Mr. John N. Hughes, florist and horticulturist, upper end of Washington street, furnished us vesterday, with some of the products of his garden—pears of the Bartlett | the Principal deems this unnecessary. and White varieties, ripe and delicious, weighing S1 ounces each, grapes of the Isabella variety-large well filled bunches, without one imperfect grape on them, and a Cautelope of the Hunter variety, most delightfully flavored, and weighing 8 pounds. The grapes Mr. Hughes gathered from a vine but two years old, which yielded over two bushels all perfect. The trees on which the pears grew, were also very prolific, though not over five feet in height, and the Hunter cantelope will soon take the place of the common varieties, being much larger, nore delightfully flavored, and more pro-

CHRIST CHURCH will be opened for Divine A. M., and 41 P. M.

sonal effects of the estate of the late Mrs. Ann Emerson, yesterday, a servant woman, with an infant child, were sold for \$1,225 .-A girl 10 years old brought \$840, and a boy 8 years of age \$650.

RESIGNATION .- Edward R. Roxbury, who had filled the post of Librarian at the Alexandria Library for nearly twelve months, re-

signed that office on Saturday last, and started on Monday for St. Louis, where he hopes of Woolf vs. Woolf, the undersigned Commission. to obtain some situation which will lead to ers therein named, will offer for sale, at public his advancement. He carries with him the auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises, his advancement. He carries with him the best wishes of many friends, for his success, and we trust he will meet with a kind receptant with a more accurately ascertained by survey.) tion in his new home.

Mr. J. Randolph Bushby, is, at present, acting as Librarian, and the Library will be kept open only from 43 to 5 and from 7 to 9 o'clock, P. M., until an appointment is made.

MALE FREE SCHOOL .- The Washington street Free School, Mr. S. T. Beach teacher, will open on Monday, September 12th. The purchase are invited to examine it. pupils who were in good and regular standing at the close of the last school year, will be received on the first and second days of the session, without the usual note of admission. Other applicants if approved by the from Mr. S. Scott, secretary of the Board.

PICKPOCKET .- A man had his pocket picked, on Thursday afternoon, at one of the ship-yards, of a gold watch and chain of the value of \$175, which after a search, were found concealed in a pile of lumber not far distant, where the thief had deposited them to be taken off at some convenient time.

George W. Riggs, esq., of Washington, has generously offered to provide for the support of one scholar from the public schools of Washington, through an entire Collegiate course at the Columbian College,

WASHINGTON TAXES .- The whole amount of taxes received by James F. Halliday, esq., city collector, from the 1st of August to the 1st of September, inclusive-during which period a reduction of 5 per cent. was made by law-was about \$97,000; of which sum over \$30,000 was collected during the last two days of August. The reduction during the present month is three per cent. after which nothing further is deducted; and at the end of sixty days the collector will proceed to sell the property of all delin-

FAIRFAX COUNTY .- The Fairfax News says:--"The Methodist protracted meeting is still progressing at the Valley School Loudoun county, Virginia, we, his Executors, will House, conducted by the Rev. H. McNamar. A great revival of religion is being carried There is a quarterly meeting going on lower part of Fairfax, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Hammond, seemingly with marked

SALE OF GOVERNMENT ARMS .- On Wednesday, A. Green, auctioneer, sold at the U. S. Arsenal, the arms condemned and ordered to be sold by the Department. The articles consisted of rifles, muskets, cannons, artillery harness, flints, &c. The sale was largely attended by bidders from Baltimore and New York. Rifles sold for \$1 to \$4;
muskets \$1 to \$2.50; cannons \$8 to \$12. muskets, \$1 to \$2,50; cannons, \$8 to \$12; harness averaged about \$3 per set; flints

Scholars of the Methodist Protestant Sabbath School, of Alexandria, held on Sunday, bath School, of Alexandria, held on Sunday, Sept. 4th, 1859, the following preamble and resolutions were passed unanimously, viz:-Whereas, our highly esteemed friend and bro-

ther Heyry R. WHITTINGTON, esq., has found it this to another city,

\*Resolved\*, That in the removal of Bro. Whitting-

which he is held by both Teachers and Scholars, we will continue his name on our Roll Book, hop-ing he may yet find it to his interest to return to his native city, and again unite with us in the pleas-

Resolved, That he has our best wishes for his success in the new field which he has chosen, and our prayers that he may enjoy richly the consola tions of our blessed religion; that he may still be useful in the Church and in the world, and at last

reap the reward of the righteous in the Kingdom of our Father in Heaven.

Resolved. That these resolutions be duly recorled on the minute book, and that a copy of them, signed by the Superintendent and Secretary, be

forwarded to Bro. Whittington, with assurances our brotherly regard and affection. THOS. McCORMICK, Supt.

GEO. T. WARFIELD, Sec'y.

OST.—On Wednesday afternoon, the 7th inst., between the city of Alexandria and the farm of Aza Gladman, esq., in the county of Fairfax, above Bailey's Cross Roads, I lost my BANK BOOK, in the pocket of which was a note from the said Aza Gladman, for \$97,75 with interest form date The said note was dated June 1st, 1859, at ninety days, payable to my order and endorsed by me Also a note from Wilkinson Hunter, esq., dated July 1st, 1859, at sixty days, for \$85,54, payable to my order and endorsed by me. There were some ther papers and a receipt for \$12 in the pocket. Payment of the above notes has been stopped, and all persons are warned against receiving said notes. Any one who may have found the said book and notes will be suitably rewarded by re-W. D. MASSEY. turning the same.

THE exercises in CALEB S. HALLOWELL'S HIGH SCHOOL for young men and youths, at Alexandria, Va., will be resumed on the 20th of

the ninth month, (September.) The Principal continues, as heretofore, to devote himself personally to the instruction and government of the Students, and he is assisted in the various departments, by a corps of experienced Teachers, most of whom board in the family, and give their entire time and attention to the School. It would be easy to insert the names of many well known gentlemen, residing in various parts sale upon its confirmation; the residue in three of the United States, and elsewhere, who either instalments of 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest, have been or now are, patrons of the School, but

FERRY TAVERN FOR SALE, This very valuable property, situated on the east side of Union street, and north side of Fayette Alley, (30 feet wide,) now and for many years oc cupied as a tavern, is for sale upon accommodating terms. It lies in the heart of the business pertion of the town, having the Alexandria and Lynchburg Railroad in front, and the Maryland Ferry and the Washington steamboats in the ted to the growth of tobacco; and its proximity to rear, and for any business, is perhaps the best location in the town. The lot fronts on Union it very desirable as a market farm. street and the Railroad 654 feet; and extends back on Fayette alley about 60 feet. Apply to

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—I of-fer for sale my BRICK HOUSE and LOT, on the west side of St. Asaph street, one door portion of the square. The house is well built, sets back in the yard, is furnished with gas and dence. Title indisputable.
sep 8-eo2w JOHN G. PEACH.

FOR RENT. The STORE, No. 53, on King, next to the N. W. correct Philipse King, next to the N. W. corner of Fairfax JOHN WEST,

AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE AND HIGHLY IMPROV A ED FARM FOR SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fauquier county, ty to be more accurately ascertained by survey, of which Andrew Woolf, Sr., died seized and pos sessed, situated on Cromey's run, about 2 miles from Rectortown, 3 from Salem, and 5 from the Plains Depots, on the Mansassas Gap Railroad, in the county of Fauquier, and adjoining the lands of Richard H. Carter, Wm. F. Dowell, and

There is a comfortable and commodious stone DWELLING HOUSE on the land, with all necessary out houses. Persons wishing to

The terms of sale will be, ten per centum of the purchase money in cash, and for the residue, credits of 1, 2, and 3 years in equal instalments to be given, carrying interest from the day of sale; said instalments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, and the title of the land to be withhold as a further security for said bonds, and the land to be subject to resalo Board of Guardians, can obtain a permit under the order of the Court, if the purchaser shall fail to complete his purchase. Possession given as soon as the terms of sale are complied

> For further information, address either of us, at Rectortown P. O., Fanquier county, Va.
>
> ANDREW WOOLF Jr., Comm'rs. Fauquier county, sep 10-eots

> BY T. M. McCORMICK-AUCTIONEER. WILL OFFER at public sale in front of the Mayor's Office, on Saturday, the 17th instant, at 12 o'clock, M., or immediately after the sale by T. T. Hill, Trustee, a valuable BUILDING LOT, King street, adjoining the residence of Dr. II Cook, beginning on the south side of King street 35 feet east of Alfred street, and running east with King street 25 feet; thence south parellel to Alfred street 100 feet; thence west parellel to King street 25 feet; thence by a straight line to

> the beginning. TERMS OF SALE :- One-fourth of the purchase money in 60 days—the balance in three equal pay nents, at 6, 12, and 18 months, the purchaser giving bond, with good personal security, the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase mency is paid. [sep 8-cots] G. W. BRIGGS. is paid. [sep 8-cots]

> BY JOHN T. CREIGHTON- AUCTIONEER. WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION. W on the premises, on Thursday, 15th day of September next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., a two story September next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., a two story
> BRICK HOUSE AND LOT, No. 21 Peyton
> street, fronting 22 feet 8 inches on Peyton
> street and running parallel with King street, 213
> feet to the line of P. H. Hooff's meadow. Said property was for many years, used as a Greecery, and is well suited for that purpose. Title indisputable. For further particulars call as above. Terms made known at sale, sep 1—eots DANIEL O. B. MANGIN.

A FINE TRACT OF LOUDOUN LAND FOR SALE.—By virtue of the authority vested in us by the will of the late Humphrey B. Powell, of seil at public auction, on the FIRST DAY of NOVEMBER NEXT, (TUESDAY,) at his late

residence in Middleburg, his FARM, containing about FOUR HUNDRED and THIRTY-SEVEN and a HALF ACRES of LAND.

The LAND is of the first quality, adjoins the village of Middleburg, through which the Turnpike

road to Alexandria passes, and distant eight miles from the Manassas Gap Railroad.

It contains nearly ONE HUNDRED ACRES of well-timbered LAND; and there is an abundance of running water on it. It is to a great extent under substantial stone fence. It kindly and judiciously cultivated for many years, and is productive in all the grains, and in grass; thus making it well adapted to farming and to grazing. It has some fine meadow land upon it. Most of it lies very well, and with favorable expo-

ple BUILDINGS for servants, and stabling, &c., upon the part of the farm which adjoins the village, with easy access to it; making it a desirable resi-dence to a family seeking the conveniences of town

adorned with TREES and SHRUBBERY.

The FARM is susceptible of easy division, by which TWO FARMS, with suitable buildings, and due proportions of woodland and water, could be

of Middleburg is situated in a beautiful and heal ciety, and possesses all the advantages, which could be desired, in churches of several denominations, schools, &c., &c. At the same time and place, we will sell a

At the same time and place, we will sell a HOUSE and LOT in Middleburg, containing about an HALF ACRE, adjoining the late residence of Col. Powell.
TERMS or SALE.—One third in cash—the residue in two equal annual instalments, with inter-

and deed of trust upon the land. Possession given at once, upon compliance with 20 The title is unquestionable.

CROPS of CORN, WHEAT, OATS, and HAY, Among the STOCK to be sold are, TEN HEAD of HORSES; some very valuable MILCH COWS, and other CATTLE; a number of HOGS, fat; and

STOCK. Also, the growing crop of WHEAT will be sold. NEGROES.—Being anxious to procure homes for ten or more SLAVES, male and female, (good field hands, and women with children,) unde terms of the will, we invite attention to them for

TERMS:-All sums over ten dollars, at nine months, with interest from date; and approved security required. All sums under ten dollars, For information, reference may be had to J. R.

RALEIGH COLSTON, | Exec'rs. of H. E. Loudoun county, sep 1—eots Powell, dec'd. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND. Pur suant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fa

fax county, in the case of Patrick Reed's administrator, &c., vs. Hugh McGinnis, made at its June term, 1859, the undersigned Commissioner therein named, will offer at public sale, on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1859, (Court day,) at Fairfax Court House, (the late purchaser having failed to comply with the terms of the sale, under a former decree.) a TRACT of LAND situate in Fairlax county, about four miles south of Alexandria, upon the new Turnpike Road leading from Alexandria to Accotink Mills, formerly the property of Patrick Reed, and containing about EIGHTY ACRES. The Land is in a good state of cultivation, with good improvements—and from its proximity to market is valuable as a Garden Farm. TERMs .- One-tenth of the purchase money to

failure of purchaser to comply with the terms of sale upon its confirmation; the residue in three to be secured by bond, with good security, and the land liable to be resold on failure to meet deferred payments, and title to be retained until purchase mey be paid. H. W. THOMAS, Comm'r. Fairfax county, aug 18-eots VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—We the

subscribers, offer for sale our farm, situated in Prince George's county, Md., opposite Alexandria, Va., eight miles from Washington. The farm contains THREE HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND, more or less, in a fine state of cultivation, well timbered and watered. The soil is well adapthe Washington and Alexandria markets, make

The improvements consist of a large modern two story brick HOUSE with a basement, two tobacco houses, two corn houses, granery, meat house, and quarters for servants.

If not sold privately before the 15th September next, this property on that day will be offered at public sale, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the residence of Mr. Austin Adams, on Broad Creek, Prince George's county, Md. If desired we can divide this farm into three or more market farms to suit purchasers. Persons wishing to purchase are invited to examine the property. For further information address the subscribers, at Rockville, Montgomery county, Md.

Prince George's Ca., Md , aug 19-taw2w&eo2w DR. MeGUIRE,

zens of Alexandria and the vicinity. Office at

The Prussians are fitting out an expedition

Mr. Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati,

Hoors.-Extract from an article on Fashtinue in vogue, and with no decrease in their we have often bad our attention called to, Fifth Avenue, or abroad among the throngs

MARRIED. On Thursday, the first of September, 1859, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. E. Ship, Mr. EDMUND B. HUGHES, of Orange,

At the residence of Col. John B. Earle, the

On the evening of the 6th instant, by the Rev.

On the 7th instant, at Rock Creek Church, by

In Shenandoah county, on Tuesday, August 30 Mr. JOHN E. NEWMAN, aged 21 years, eleven At Little Falls, Stafford county, the resider

ounty, Md., on the night of the 30th of August in the 42d year of her age, Mrs. RACHEL MUN-CASTER, wife of Edwin M. Muneaster.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-SEPTEMBER 9. ARRIVED. Schr. Black Bird, Compton, Boston, to D. B. Schr. John Forsythe, Holmes, Providence, to T.

J. Mehaffey. Schr. John Warren, Lozier, Fall River, to Bor-Schr. Richard Borden, Arnold, Fall River, to

Thomas Perry. Sehr. Roda Maria, Maddox, Mattowoman, wheat Schr. Ida L. Howard, Strase, Boston, by T. J.

Steamship Mount Vernon, Smith, hence at New

bary, for this port, sailed from Richmond 7th Schrs. Thos. Page, Robinson, for this port, and Snow Flake, Weaver, for Washington, cleared at Philadelphia 8th inst.

# Norfolk 7th.

Boats Eugene, A. T. Snouffer, and Mrs. E. oats Dutch Hon and Metacomet, to Borden

MARLY CABBAGE SEED .- Early Winning Plat Dutch, Early Wakefield, &c., received and for

eived and for sale by

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets. BALTIMORE, Sept. 9 .- Flour closed heavy; Howard street and Ohio \$5.00. Wheat closed firm; sales of 8,000 bush.; white 120@145c.; red 110@ 117c. Corn closed dull; yellow 78@ 80c., measure Banks have but slightly increased their line of and weight. Provisions closed firm; bacon sides 91 @ 10c.; mess pork \$15@\$15.25; prime \$13.00. Lard closed quiet at 111 (a.111e. Whiskey closed steady at 28c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 .- Flour is firm; State \$4@ \$4.40; Ohio \$4.90@\$5.25; Southern \$4.80@\$5 .-Wheat is firm; Southern white 145@150c. Western red 120c., do. white 130 @140c. Corn is firm: new mixed 821c. Pork is dull-mess \$14.75@ \$15: prime \$10.25. Lard is firm at 102 @ 111.-Whiskey dull at 27c. Stocks are lower. Va. 6's 941. Mo. 6's 847. Stocks have undergone a further decline since the closing of the board. The money market is easier. Loans on call 5 (26 per

Richmond Market, Soptember 9 The arrival of Wheat is now moderate, and as farmers are on the eve of the seeding season, no doubt there will be, until November, a considerable diminution in the quantity coming in. The market is firmer, and we quote white at \$1.30(66 \$1.37½; red \$1.20, \$1.25, and \$1.30. The Flour market continues dull; the receipts are light and sales are almost altogether of a re-

tail character. - Rich. Examiner. FULL FALL SUPPLIES.

R. H. MILLER, SON & CO., IMPORTERS OF QUEENSWARE, HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM LIVERPOOL. RY SHIP ELVIRA OWENS, 134 CRATES AND HOGSHEADS, THICH gives them a full and complete as

pared to fill all orders from country merchants and others, of a quality unsurpassed in any other city, and at prices, which they assert, will be found, by comparison, as low as any of the Northern cities. They have for the last month been in receipt of other GOODS, besides the above, comprising ascortments of-French, Porcelain and English CHINA, in sets Cut, Pressed, and Plain GLASSWARE, of all

escriptions.

LAMPS AND GAS FIXTURES-Mantle Ornaments and Vases.
Stoneware and Preserving JARS, of all descrip-Window Glass, a full supply, from 6 by 8 and 8 by 10 to 30 by 50 inches. Orders for Plate Glass, Enameled Window Glass, &c., taken and speedi-

ly executed. Pipes in boxes, Pipe Heads—Putty in bladders. R. H. M., SON & CO., hope to convince Virginia Merchants by a rigid scrutiny, if they will only try it that they need not patronize crockery house out of the State.
R. H. M., SON & CO. are prepared to do their

part to retain it in the Commonwealth.

DRUGS AND COLORS.—Lewis' pure White

FOR BALTIMORE.—The steam-

The fine steamer JAS, JEROME, The fine steamer JAS. Jerome master, leaves Philadelphia every Saturday at 12 o'clock, M., and delivers cargo for Alexandria and the District early on Monday morning, and connects with the O. & A. R. R., M. G. R. K., and C. & O. Canal, for the interior. Returning, leaves Georgetown at 12 o'clock M.

Shippers wishing to avail themselves of the

NSTRUCTION .- A graduate of Harvard Col-

refer to the following gentlemen:
F. A. Reed, esq., of the firm of M. Eldridge

T. W. Valentine, Primary Public School, Brook-For further particulars, apply to F. A. REED,

All persons indebted to the late firm are earnest-

a continuance of the same to the new firm. HALL & HARPER.

Institution will begin on the first of Tenth For Circulars containing terms, &c., apply

H. F. HENRY ang 16-atf PRIVATE SCHOOL

School Boys Wanteb. Having engaged

aug 30

was cordially drunk.

of 40 hours. The dispatch says that the trip was a most delightful one, and all the

Church South, of this city, who has been elected President of the Wesleyan Female College at Murfreesboro', N. C., will enter upon the discharge of his duties in a few days; in consequence of which he will resign his charge here. He carries with him to his new field of labor the good wishes of the congregation with which he has so acceptably labored for the last year. Rev. Mr. Duncan, brother of Rev. James A. Dun-

sion of the Conference.

Service, by the Rector, on to-morrow, at 11, SALE OF SLAVES .- At the sale of the per-

sold for I cent per hundred .- Wash. Star.

ton, the Methodist Protestant Sabbath School, of its most faithful and efficient Teachers, who for the last twenty-seven years has given his unwearied attention to the promotion of the best interests of the School he so much loved, and where he was always found in his place, except when prevented by sickness, or absence from the city.

Resolved, That in token of the high regard in

ing duties of the Sabbath School.

Circulars will be forwarded on application. Sth mo 25 -- eo3w

R. JOHNSTON, or C. W. WATTLES. aug 29-2aw4w orth of Wolfe, fronting on St. Asaph 22 feet, and rouning back to a public alley, which divides that water, and is very pleasantly situated for a resi-

aug 10-2awtf No. 4, North Fairfax street.

To strangers it may be well to add, that the town thy region; that it has a refined and cultivated a

est from date, payable annually, secured by bonds,

At the same time and place, we will sell all the STOCK, and FARMING IMPLEMENTS, the

TUCKER, Richmond, Va.; RALEIGH COLSTON, Ivy Depot, Albemarie county, Va.; or to WM. L. POWELL, Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va.

be paid down as a deposit, liable to forfeiture on

C. B. ROZER. F. W. ROZER.

OFFERS his Professional services to the citi-WOOL purchased at highest cash prices, by the S. W. corner of Prince and Royal streets.

amounted to 1,100 head. Of the number offered, J. C. ENGELBRECHT, purchased by Baltimore butchers at prices ranging from \$3 to \$4.25 \text{P} 100 lbs. gross, and averaging TEACHER OF INSTRUMENTAL AND VO-CAL MUSIC, MANSION HOUSE. sep 7-d2w3 Sheep. The supply has been fair this week, and

Virginia. J. LUCK with him, in the practice of his profes sion. Office, the same heretofore occupied by Dr. Middleburg, aug 25-eolm

GROUND PLASTER, constantly for sale by WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

LOCAL ITEMS. THE NEW YORK STEAMSHIP LINE .- The

- Nat. Int.